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In re Application of

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Examiner: Fletcher III, William P

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For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING MICRO-PILLAR STRUCTURE

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the final office action dated April 15, 2009, for which a two month extension of time is requested to extend the period for response to September 15, 2009, please make the following amendments:

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